

- (1) is under an expulsion, exclusion or second suspension from school;
- (2) has withdrawn from school (unless due to financial hardship); or
- (3) has been determined to be a habitual truant.

The license shall remain invalid for expulsions, exclusions and suspensions for at least 120 days, or, in the event of a habitual truancy or withdrawal from school, until the individual turns eighteen (18) or the student has re-enrolled in school and is in good standing.

CHAPTER F

ACCUMULATION OF TRAFFIC OFFENSES (EXCESSIVE “POINTS” ON THE DRIVING RECORD):

1. **The Bureau of Motor Vehicles Driver Improvement Program:** The Bureau of Motor Vehicles administers a driver improvement program that identifies individuals who accumulate a number of moving violations in a short period of time. The Bureau of Motor Vehicles has rules to assess a point value for each conviction of a moving violation under Indiana law. The point value relates to the seriousness of the offense in posing a risk to traffic safety. Point values for offenses range from two (2) to eight (8) points depending on the violation. For example, a speeding offense less than 15 miles an hour over the posted limit is a two (2) point violation, while a conviction for operating while intoxicated is an eight (8) point violation. Points stay active on your driving record, for two (2) years from the conviction date of the citation.
2. **The Administrative Hearing:** Drivers who collect seventeen (17) or more active points during a two (2) year period will be notified and required to attend an administrative hearing. At the hearing, the presiding officer will make a determination whether to place the driver on probation; suspend the person's driving privileges for a period of not less than thirty (30) days up to the maximum one (1) year; or impose additional requirements beyond the order of probation or suspension such as requiring attendance at a driving improvement program.
3. **Failure to Appear for Administrative Hearing:** If you fail to appear for the administrative hearing at the time and place designated, the hearing will be held in your absence, and a recommendation will be made by the administrative hearing officer.